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LOVE'S SILENCES

BY ELAINE GOODALE

When is sealed in the dews of summer morning
And the lovers lips
And grow to their prime of beauty all under the summer sky
When slow through the Hymnal grasses the warm wind shakes a sweet lip,
For a whispered thrill with the dusky o a chime of the vesper bells
Then swept on the tide of being overflooded with love and bliss
And throbbing deep with a rapture that most forgot its name,
The full of a golden cadence rolls down through a hundred zones
And we feel our hearts go with it dissolved in its liquid tones!

Let follow the melody sometime in a swaying tremulous flight—
Music wedded to motion and set to a rune to light
Mark where the rich voice falters and the rhythm breaks at last
While slowly fluttering downward, he drops in the waving grass!
There never a note may linger for a note delight is there,
That nook of earth is dearer that the fatherless realms of air,
The flashing wings are folded and the carol sinks to rest,
And the depth of a tender silence is the sweet guard of his nest!

Remember the birds, we pray you, if our tribute seemeth small;
So warm in the true home feeling no words could hold it all!
On the far green hills of Berkshire we've found our happiest days
And have only our love to offer—a love that is more than praise!
Of the blue on its distant mountains and in the land of dreams
Of the breadth of its stately forests the flesh of its crystal streams
We never could speak as strangers—as friends we did you come
Where the depth of a tender silence is the sweet guard of our home!

Miss Rice, the daughter of the Rev D Rice, of Springfield, Mass, was graduated at Wesleyan University, this year, leading her class composed chiefly of young men The *Tribune* says "President Eliot, of Harvard, who apparently shares what he calls the World's ignorance concerning the capacity of the sex for classical education should converse with this young lady, who has the brains with which to distance so many lords of creation"

There is grief in a Boston household Lady of the house finding nothing in the wide range of domestic pets that satisfied her took a baby lion and lioness and has lavished her affections upon them As long as they were little the neighbors regarded it as a harmless eccentricity, but when the wild animals began to reach maturity [illegible] it impossible to share their patron's faith in their entire harmlessness At last the Police Commissioners have interfered and ordered the disconsolate lady to remove them to some place of confinement

SOUND ADVICE.—We advise all young people to acquire in early life the habit of using good language, both in speaking and writing, and also to abandon the use of slang words and phrases The longer they have the more difficult the acquisition of good language will be, and if the golden age of youth, the proper time for the acquisition of language, be passed in ignorance, the unfortunate victim of neglected education is very probably doomed to talk slang for life Money is not necessary to procure this education

Every man has it in his power It has to use the language which he reads instead of the slang which he hears, to form it from the best speakers and poets of the country, to treasure up choice phrases in his memory and habituate himself to their use, avoiding at the same time that pedantic precision and bombast, which show rather the weakness of vain ambition than the polish of an educated mind

DUTY AS ROSE LEPPA COOKS SEE.—Some of you appear to doubt if you can decide for yourselves what your vocation in life is Do not hurry Do the duty that lies nearest thee the rest will follow Learn to do well the simplest commonest things those will fit you for the future And do not, above all, fall into that silly childish cant of having "duty," and doing things only for "love" This is the fatal weakness of these days that love is exalted not merely above but in place of all other virtues, that self denial, self control, courage, endurance, are all set aside for the sake of love, which is perverted to mean indolence and self indulgence This is not the love of the Bible but a counterfeit weakness out of which spring evils innumerable, even in the very bosom of our homes and churches Duty is every breath of God and the outcome of love to him as surely as warmth is born of fire Adhere to this, and the path of life will unfold before you and the voice of the Lord say to your soul "This is the way, walk ye in it" And by duty I do not mean great action, suffering, or sacrifice, but the petty detail of daily life, patience with noisy quarrelsome, perverse children, obedience to parents, devotion to the comfort and pleasure of those about you attention to your own health, temper and appearance, a study of economy and neatness in the household, and, when the in doors duty is done, there remains always some lonely person to visit and cheer, some kindly, neighborly act to perform, some church work to help in Be faithful over these few things, Mary Ann, and the work of your life will find you out in good time and welcome you.—*Sunday Afternoon*

COMFORT FOR HOMELY WOMEN.—In the matrimonial lottery ugly women possess an advantage to which sufficient importance has not been attached It is a common observation that husband and wife frequently resemble one another, and many ingenious theorists, attempting to solve the problem by attributing it to sympathy, contemplation of one another's features, community of habits and modes of life, etc, have fallen into the very common error of substituting the cause for the effect. This mutual likeness is the occasion, not the result of marriage Every man, like Narcissus, becomes enamored of the reflection of himself, only choosing a substance instead of a shadow His love for any particular woman is self love at second hand, vanity reflected, compound egotism When he sees himself in the mirror of a female face, he exclaims, "How intelligent, how amiable, how interesting!—how admirably adapted for a wife!" and forthwith makes his proposals to the personages so expressly and literally calculated to keep him in countenance The uglier he is, the more need he has of this consolation, he forms a romantic attachment to the "fascinating creature with the snub nose," or the "bewitching girl with the ogrish feet," (Anglice—squint), without once suspecting that he is paying his addresses to himself, and playing the Pygmalion before a looking glass Take self love from love and very little remains—it is taking the flame from Hymen's torch and leaving the smoke. The same feeling extends to his progeny, he would rather see them resemble himself, particularly in his deficits, than be modelled after the chubbiest cherubs or cupids that ever emanated from the studio of Canova One sometimes encounters a man of unqualified hideousness, who obviously considers himself an Adonis, and when such a one has to seek a connubial Venus, it is evident that her value will be in the inverse ratio of her charms Upon this principle ugly women will be converted into belles, perfect hights will become irresistible, and none need despair of conquests, if they have but the happiness to be sufficiently plain.

From All the Year Round

WISHING CUSTOMS.

Some of the Curious Superstitions of Various Countries.

In whatever grade of society or position of prosperity we are placed, we sit hope for something better, and as mankind is never in this world perfectly happy we find ourselves constantly wishing for some future blessedness superlative to that we at present enjoy Consequently, a host of fanciful customs to meet this want are practiced among the vulgar who believe in them officially and many of them are even patronized by the educated In the west of England, "Wishing Wells" are very plentiful, and young damsels longing for married felicity offer up the following petition

A husband St Catherine
A handsome one St Catherine
A rich one, St Catherine,
A kind one, St Catherine
And soon, St Catherine

At Abbotsbury, they used to go on a certain day in the year to the Norman chapel of St Catherine, at Milton Abbey, and make the same prayer It is somewhat singular that on the Continent this saint should be considered the special patroness of spinsters At Holywell, or St Winifred's Well, in North Wales, those who are not satisfied with their circumstances in life must find the "wishing stone," which is two feet below the water, and while kissing it make the necessary wish In Pennant's "History of Whitefield Parish," we find an account of the Walsingham Wells, they were formerly used to cure ailments of the head and stomach, but as this idea is now exploded, the superstitious in the district still believe them to be able to accomplish human desires There is a stone between the two wells upon which the supplicant must kneel with his bare right knee, he can then reach both wells which he is required to do with his hands, and to take as much water as they will hold and drink it The wish formed during this operation will be gratified in the ensuing twelve months, and if this fail, it is put down to incredulity

A peculiar method of divination is practiced near Kirkmichel, Banff, at the fount of St Michael These wives go to know if their husbands will get well and girls for their sweethearts The sacred guardian is personated by a fly, which skims over the surface of the water, and is supposed to be immortal, the issue of their wish is foretold by its depicted or animated appearance An old man used to clear the well, which was otherwise neglected, and plant fragrant flowers round it lamenting the degeneracy and unbelief of these modern times According to Grose's "Provincial Glossary" (1811), to see a future spouse in a dream, the parties inquiring must lie in a different county from that in which they commonly reside, and on going to bed must knit the left garter about the right legged stocking, letting the other garter and stocking alone, and as they repeat the following verses, at every comma tie a knot

This knot I knit
To know the thing I know not yet,
That I may see
The man (or woman) that shall my husband (or wife) be
How he goes and which he wears,
All what he does all days and years

During the season when the cuckoo's note is heard, many curious customs are observed thus in England as well as Germany, it is believed by the peasantry, that if asked, it will tell you how many years you have to live, by the repetition of its cry so they say

Cuckoo cherry tree
Good bird tell me
How many years have I to live

As soon as the Dandenong Range girls hear this bird, they kiss their hand and ask Cuckoo cuckoo! when shall I be married? Among the Swedes, too, the girls exclaim

Cuckoo gray tell to me
Up in the tree true and free
How many years I must live a lone unmarried

Superstitions in connection with the appearance of the moon are very numerous it generally presides over lovers wishes In Devonshire the young people, as soon as they see the first new moon after midsummer go to a stile, turn their backs to it, and say

All hail new moon all hail to thee
I prithee good moon reveal to me
This night who I shall my true love be
What he is and what he wears
And what he does all months in years

In Ireland they sometimes show the new moon a knife, invoking the Holy Trinity say

New moon true moon I bow to you
That I see the morrow my true love may see
Afterwards placing the knife under the pillow and keeping strict silence lest the charm should be broken. In Berkshire, at the new moon, the maidens go into the fields, and looking at it, say

New moon new moon I hail thee
By all the virtue in thy lady
Grant this night that I may see
He who my true love is to be

A curious custom exists in Cornwall of gathering the club moss which is considered good for all diseases of the eyes Hunt in his "Popular Romances of the West of England," says the gathering is regarded as a mystery, and if any ventures to write the secret, the virtues of the moss will be of no more use to him The third day of the moon, when it is seen for the first time, they show it the knife with which the moss is to be cut, and repeat

As Christ healed the issue of blood,
Do thou cut what thou cutest for good

At sunset, having carefully washed the hands, it is to be cut kneeling, wrapped in a cloth, and boiled in water from the nearest spring, this may be used as a fomentation or the moss made into an ointment with butter made from a new cow's milk Vallancy tells us that the Irish on seeing the new moon, knelt down repeated the Lord's Prayer, and then said "May thou leave us as safe as thou has found us" Aubrey says, speaking of old English manners, "The women sit at their gate to salute the first night of the new moon, saying "A fine moon, God bless her!" Halliwell, in his "Popular Rhymes," speaks of a peculiar divination practiced during the harvest moon When going to bed, put under your pillow a prayer book open at the words, in the matrimonial service, "with this ring I thee wed," place on it a key, a ring, a flower, a sprig of willow, a small heart cake, a crust of bread, and these cards, a ten of clubs, nine of hearts, and the aces of spades and diamonds Wrap these in a muslin or gauze handkerchief, and on getting into bed cross your hands and say

I pray, every woman's friend
To my thy goodness condescend,
Let me this night in visions see,
Emblems of my destiny

If you dream of storms it portends trouble, a calm after it, so your fate will be, the ring or ace of diamonds, marriage, bread, industry, cake, prosperity, flowers, joy willow, treachery in love, spades, death, diamonds, riches, clubs, a foreign land, keys, confidence, power and plenty, beds, many children, and geese, you will marry more than once. In Staffordshire, when a child has the whooping cough, they believe they can cure it by the magic influence of the moon In Cornwall they make use of the following charm for invoking good luck

Even wish I thee do pluck,
Hoping thus to meet good luck
If to luck I get from thee,
I shall wish thee on the tree

In Devonshire the girls believe that if they pluck yarrow from a man's grave, and place it under their pillow, repeating these lines, they will dream of their lovers

Yarrow, sweet yarrow, the first that I have found
And in the name of Jesus I pluck it from the ground
As Joseph loved sweet Mary, and took her for his dear
So I pray this night I hope my true love will appear

In Lincolnshire, if the inquirer wishes to know the identity of a lover, in apple pippin is taken between the thumb and finger, and while moving round, squeezed out, when it is supposed to fly in the direction of the lover's house These words are said at the same time

Pippin pippin, pippin pike,
Tell me where my true love lies
East west north or south
Pilling hog or Coal er mouth

Halliwell, in his "Popular Rhymes" (1849), says that girls formerly practiced divination with a "St Thomas onion," which they picked wrapped in a clean handkerchief, and laid under their heads, saying the following rhyme

Good St Thomas do me right
And see my true love come to night
That I may see him in the face,
And him in my bed in his embrace

In Shropshire, to find one's future partner the blade bone of a lamb must be procured, which is to be picked at midnight with a penknife, and these words repeated

This not this bone I mean to pick,
But my love's bone I wish to pick,
He that loves me best
Come, and after me now

After which her destined partner is believed to follow her Barnabe Googe, in his translation of "Naogeorgius," better known as the "Popish Kingdom" (1570), refers to the pretty custom of making guts on New Year's day as follows

The next to this is New Year's day, whereon to every friend
They costly presents do bring and New Year's gifts do send
These gifts the husband gives his wife and
Father child the children
And an austere man is man bestowes the life with
Favor in life
And good beginning the year they wishe and
wishe again
According to the merie guise of heathen people vaine

Some localities become, by time honored custom, the wishing places of lovers, such is the well known gate of Gretnamore, it being the popular belief that any wish formed there will be fulfilled A beautiful view of the lake can be had from it, which romantic situation lends it an additional charm Wordsworth has made it the subject of one of his touching poems The old gate is [illegible] in the real English style

SPIRIT BREATHINGS

BY EMILY HAWTHORNE

My spirit soars high on the wings of thought
To the mysteries—the ethereal sphere
Bright lances of [illegible] are caught
Like sunbeams that sparkle on burnished spear

Though the weighted body mourning lies,
Imbedded by the crawling cares of earth
The spirit floats up through the ether skies
To the source of creation that gave it birth

It whispers with me that through realms afar
My spirit soars free as a wild wood bird
My thoughts by the breath of the angels are
Vibrating with joy—as with ecstacy stirred

Rose Orchard that through channel to earth
Remindeth thee from the spirit may rise
And soar to the heavenly realm of his birth
To bask in the sunshine of Paradise

LINCOLN'S HOMELY PHRASES.

In his letter declining an invitation to attend the Illinois Republican Convention in 1860, Lincoln made use of two or three striking figures Reviewing the military events of the past year, which had been favorable to the cause of the Union, he said "The Father of waters again goes unvexed to the sea And referring to the fact that Southern Unionists and ex slaves had done something to help on the good work he said "On the spot, their part of the history is dotted down in black and white," which mightily tickled the popular fancy At the time, however, criticism was provoked by the odd figure employed by the President

"Not merely Uncle Sam's web feet be forgotten At all the watery margins they have been present, not only on the deep sea, the broad bay, the rapid river but also up the narrow, muddy bayous, and wherever the ground was a little damp, they have been and made their tracks Lincoln was amused by the discussion in the newspapers to which the use of the phrase Uncle Sam's web feet gave rise He explained that the remarkable feats performed by the gunboats, in making their way through sloughs and bayous, hitherto considered inaccessible, reminded him of the stealthy passage of water fowl The pleasantry concerning light draught steamers going where "the ground scarcely could damp, is familiar to everybody

It will be a long time before our people will forget Lincoln's homely simile of "old decoyquacks charged with rose water," is applied to the conservative programme for prosecuting the war This was used in a letter addressed to Cuthbert Bullitt, of New Orleans, in which letter he also said that the conservatives were like companiming passengers on a ship— The mutineers must be untouched lest one of these sacred passengers should receive an accidental wound" His imagination was powerfully stimulated by any reference to the history of the Republic His address at Gettysburg, now one of the great historical speeches of the world, suggests, rather than expresses, a crowd of images To Lincoln's mind, apparently, American history was filled with noble and pathetic figures In some of the loftier flights of his eloquence may be found traces of a strong poetic fancy—an imagination fired by love of country, and inspired by the contemplation of the stirring events that have marked its history No more striking example of this can be found anywhere than in the memorable words which closed his first inaugural address

"The mystic chords of memory, stretching from every battle field and patriot grave to every living heart and hearth stone, all over this broad land, will yet swell the chorus of the Union, when again touched, as surely they will be, by the better angels of our nature"—*Scribner's Monthly*

THE REAL WOMAN.—Every young girl should gain a complete understanding of all that belongs to household duties, and store her mind with treasures of practical everyday knowledge. Then will she be qualified to reign as a household queen The young lady of sentiment and fine features, who lolls in ease and indolence on the parlor sofa, reviews the fashions and jabbers small talk, sneers at her betters and gossips about her industrious neighbors, boasts her ignorance of household work, and couldn't tell a nutmeg grater from a grist mill, or a soup ladle from a road scraper, will attract the attention and gain the silly flatteries of the brainless and giddy throng of idlers, but will earn the contempt of the real man And the real man will pass by these gay puppies of the fashionable world to pluck the modest violets that bloom and blossom in the warm sunshine of home.—*Tyrone (Neb) Herald*

This is how Nilsson, the celebrated singer, prepares for work When she is about to appear in opera she rests, after rehearsal, the entire day on the sofa, abjures solid food, but has a cupful of her favorite essence of meat every two hours. This is her unvarying regimen, and she finds that it nerves her for the effort and triumph of successive nights.

A YALE SOPHOMORE AS A HUMORIST.

On the night of the 28th of June the Yale students celebrated that unique custom known among them as "giving away the fence" Shortly before the close of the academic year, each successive Freshman class, which until that time is debarred from the privilege, is allowed to sit upon the venerable college fence Of late years it has been the custom to invest the class with this privilege somewhat formally, and the Sophomores, naturally enough have charge of the ceremony This year, Isaac Thomley of St, a son of Mr Isaac H Bromley, of the New York *Tribune* staff, delivered the address of welcome, which was interrupted from time to time by uproarious applause Having been hoisted upon a post, Bromley made the following remarks

Gentlemen of the Class of '82.—On behalf of my classmates and the faculty, I congratulate you on having reached the Sophomore fence. It marks a memorable point in your career [laughter], for we cease giving you tally when we give you the fence. [Laughter] All your studies of Freshman year have been simply to prepare you to sit gracefully on the Sophomore fence [laughter] Your victory over Harvard gave you an opportunity for practice in the exercise on the fence up yonder, and we have been gratified to observe that you do it well [Laughter] So well that it had been remarked by the faculty that it seems to be your best hold [Laughter] On this subject President Porter, at a recent faculty meeting [laughter] said "What is there more becoming and ornamental to a fence than a Freshman?" [Laughter] And when Professor Thacher answered "The Cat" [laughter] the whole faculty came in on the chorus "It is indeed the cat" [Laughter and cheers] But let it be no discouragement to you to be beaten by the cat—that is what the cat is for [Great laughter]

You have doubtless found out by this time that the members of the faculty do not view you with favor They have been prejudiced against you ever since you entered college [Laughter] They said you were too pushing, till one of you did not seem disposed to shove any, and you knew so much that they were half afraid to teach you anything [Laughter] And when we proposed giving you the fence they vigorously opposed it [Great laughter] One professor, whom I will not name, said "If you give 'em a hen on the fence they'll soon have a mortgage on the whole college" Another said, "Give them an inch and they'll take an ell" "Take 'ell!" cried the President, "they'll raise it" [Great laughter] [illegible] the fence, and they reluctantly yielded I may say to you in confidence, gentlemen, that you owe nothing to the faculty, but everything to the class of '81 [Laughter and applause] We have tolerated you when they wanted to hiss you out [Laughter] As soon as they begin to know you at the beginning of the Freshman year, to see that you were not only handsome, but good and great, and that you were liable at any moment to rise up and run the college, they said, "this class must either be totally suppressed or greatly thinned out, and the order given us was *ut omnium damnum* [Great laughter], which being Latin, you will understand better next year. [Long continued laughter] Out of tenderness for you we have refrained from obeying the order strictly We have slain comparatively few of you, though many have gone and got sliced on their own account [Laughter] Never forget, gentlemen, you owe your lives to the forbearance of '81, and whenever you meet an '81 man be quick and show your appreciation, always remembering that for the preservation of a human life one schooner of rye is but a meagre and inadequate return [Great laughter] We had intended, gentlemen, before turning the fence over to you to have it veneered in rosewood and mahogany upholstered in satin, built campers over it, and set up four posts in front But when we proposed it the Faculty scouted the idea They said With such cats, what of campers? [laughter] As to posts, they made no objection except that they must be put inside the fence They said the college authorities had no right to permit the class of '82 to sit with their feet on the outside and obstruct the whole street [Great laughter] And one of your tutors suggested the erection of a market rack with meat hooks to hang you on by the seat of your trousers [Laughter]

Disgusted with such levity as could lead us to abandon the fence Yon, however, can do what you please with the fence, except carry it off And if you do take only the part between the rails Take the fence, then, gentlemen of '82, with all its honors and responsibilities Don't whittle it Don't deface it Always have somebody on it [Laughter] Sit on it constantly and look pretty and try to reflect honor upon the college Be good as well as pretty Don't hoot at processions or chaff the wayfaring man [laughter] or try to sing Finally, don't put your feet on the cushions and do not spit on the stove The fence is yours Rest your brains upon it [Great laughter and applause]

Esquire Johnson of Whiteland, Johnson county, attributes his recovery from the effects of the sting of a honey bee to the administration of large doses of stimulants His symptoms were peculiar and very alarming He was stung in the jugular vein, and two minutes after a cold tremor ran through his frame, within five minutes he was utterly helpless, his entire body and limbs cold and clammy, breathing labored, extremities cold and his heart beating slowly and faintly. Brandy was frequently poured down his throat in large quantities, and after remaining unconscious for about twelve hours he came out of his stupor somewhat sudden; [illegible] perfectly well again

The Sunday school teacher gave a "garden party" to his class of mission scholars When it was nearly over he said "Have you enjoyed the strawberries, boys?" "Oh yes, sir!" was the hearty and unanimous answer. "Then," asked the teacher, seeking to append a moral, "if you had slipped into my garden and picked those strawberries without my leave would they have tasted as good as now?" Every little boy in the company shrieked out "No, sir!" "Why not?" "Cause," said little Thomas, with the cheerfulness of conscious virtue, "then we shouldn't have had sugar and cream with 'em"—*Peekskill Constitution.*

An English physician relates that on the 11th of February his wife, after mixing some corn meal for feeding the fowls, missed her wedding ring from her finger, and after a fruitless search gave it up for lost. On the 8th of April, while engaged eating an egg at breakfast, she felt the egg spoon grate against something hard at the bottom of the egg below the yolk, and on further investigation found the lost ring firmly fixed by membraneous adhesions to the bottom of the egg The egg was of extra size, and was laid the day before

Miss Emily Faithful's paper is responsible for the following —We saw a Christmas card the other day which had been sent to a young lady at a school of design. It represented a grotesque figure at a lecturer's desk, and underneath were these lines

"Where are you going to, my pretty maid?"
"I'm going to lecture, sir," she said
"And what is the subject my pretty maid?"
"The total extinction of man," she said.
"Then nobody'll marry you, my pretty maid,"
"Advanced women *don't* marry, good sir," she said.

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—The Maryland Republican convention will meet in Baltimore, on the 12th of September, next.

—The Ohio campaign will be formally opened about the middle of August. General Ewing will make his first speech at Lancaster, in that State on the 24th inst

—President Hayes has sent to the United States District Attorney's office the papers accompanying an application for the pardon of De Bolgne M. Bonnett, who was convicted of mailing obscene matter. The application is signed by 130,000 persons in different parts of the Union.

—Music is costly on Coney Island. Levy get s $450 a week, with board for his family, for playing the cornet at Manhatten Beach, where Gilmore is paid $500 for himself and $1,000 for the rest of the band. Arbuckle, who stands on a pedestal in Talmage's church on Sundays, receives $300 a week at West Brighton.

—Buffalo is to have a pipe line from the Bradford oil district. It is a producers, movement, intended to secure an outlet, without which it is claimed ruin will come upon the oil country. Those who are engaged in it say that no opposition can now interfere with their purpose. They will soon have their line completed to that city.

—Ex Senator Alexander Ramsey, of Minnesota, is announced as the next Secretary of War, to fill McCrary's vacancy. He is a native of this State, and was a prominent man before he left for the West as Territorial Governor, and when Minnesota became a State he was both a Representative and Senator in Congress. He is a man of ability and integrity

— While the panic-stricken people of Memphis are crowding the trains for the North there is one man who insists that there is no yellow fever in the city, and offers to back up his opinion with his money His name is Goodbar, and he publishes a card in one of the papers proposing a wager of $500 that no genuine yellow Jack can be found, $250 that there will be no epidemic this summer, and $250 that there will not be over thirty five deaths per week for the next four weeks. If the fever could be kept away by a wager Goodbar ought to be induced to raise his bet Thus far the bet has found no taker. Nobody seems eager to win the money by furnishing himself an undoubted case of the fever.

—The Republicans of Wisconsin held a State Convention yesterday at Madison, and renominated Governor Smith on the first ballot. All the other State officers were renominated by acclamation. A platform was adopted which declared in the clearest language for free and fair elections and the exclusion of troops from the polls except to preserve the peace, and expressed the conviction that the Democratic policy is designed to open the way for fraud and violence. The platform also declared for hard money. Yesterday being the twenty-fifth anniversary of the formation of the Republican party of Wisconsin, two large meetings were held at which speeches were made by the officers of the Convention of 1854, by Senator Chandler, Mr. Garfield and others.

—In an article entitled "Two years of President Hayes," published in the August *Atlantic*, Walter Allen sums up what has been accomplished in the first half of the present administration. He says

"The practice of determining the issue of state elections by the authority of the national administration, and enforcing that determination by the army of the United States, has been definitely abandoned. It was high time. The practice was essentially unrepublican, was destructive of the right of independence and dignity of States, was subversive of liberty, and was potentially, if not in experience, a wrong worse than that it was invoked to correct. The honor of the nation in respect of financial obligations has been vindicated in every point dependent on the action of the executive, a great burden of taxation has been lifted, the credit of the United States is as good as that of any nation in the world, and an era of sound prosperity has dawned. The civil service has been purified and invigorated. The executive has resumed the prerogative and responsibility which had been relinquished to enable party leaders to strengthen their personal influence. More than at any other time for two generations past, character, intelligence, and fitness for doing well the government's work are the qualifications regarded in appointments, rather than zeal in party service. The people are delivered from the domination of office-holding agents of the administration in the conduct of their political affairs. The business of the government, whether affecting our foreign relations or our domestic peace and prosperity, is efficiently managed, with supreme regard to the commonwealth, and not with supreme regard for the political fortunes of those in power. But already the president's aphorism, "He serves his party best who serves his country best," is verified. In the congressional elections of 1878 the party in power held its own as the party in power is seldom able to do in an "off year," and was more successful than there is any ground in reason or experience to suppose it could have been if the old grievances had not been removed. Had the president failed to do the things for doing which he is is so rancorously blamed in some quarters, the republican party in this Congress might not be stronger than it was in the forty-fourth Congress. The party is in a better position either for attack or defense than it was in two years ago. The change in the Republican position has compelled the democracy to unmask its purposes, and to take ground where it is terribly exposed. For this incalculable advantage on the lines of party conflict, as well as for the obvious improvement of all national concerns, the administration of President Hayes more than Congress, and the president more than any other republican, is entitled to praise and gratitude.

WASHINGTON LETTER.

WASHINGTON, July 22d, 1879.

EDITOR GAZETTE — Our reference on the 4th instant, to the suit brought in our courts against Mrs Crandall contained an unfortunate error in the statement that she was the wife of Col Crandall, the editor of the *National View*, the Greenback organ of this city. We are glad to say that the Mrs. Crandall involved is the wife of one of our city booksellers, and not Mrs Col Crandall, as she has not been connected with any of our city institutions in any manner since her removal here a year since Our error of statement in confounding names was shared in by our city reporters generally, and we are pleased to make due correction as we do not wish to subject any lady to the mortification of having her name erroneously connected with any suit, no matter if, as in this particular case, there is no motive actuating the plaintiffs but petty jealousy We beg Mrs Crandall's pardon, and "won't do so again."

The extreme heat of the past ten days, in connection with the yellow fever excitement at Memphis, has directed anxious attention to the nuisance which exists in our river front in what is known as the "Flats" When Congress, about forty years ago, permitted the building of a causeway half way across the Potomac as a part of the Long Bridge, it laid the foundation for the most infamous nuisance to be found this side of the Memphis Bayou, which nearly encircles that unfortunate city. This causeway, acting as a dam, has caused a deposition for a mile above it of all the filth and sediment of the river and our sewers, which now is bared to the hot sun every time the tide is out, and as it covers hundreds of acres whose exhalations are carried over the city with every breeze, a case of yellow fever here now would have such a hot-bed of corruption to luxuriate and wax fat in, that nothing short of a miracle would save us from a sweeping epidemic of that dreaded disease Congress has been asked annually since 1856 for some remedy against this evil, but without provision being made thus far, and nothing short of some terrible calamity will ever bring us relief Congress has rather strengthened than weakened or lessened this nuisance by turning the causeway over to a railroad a few years since, which rebuilt and increased its size and strength in every wise. Nature has done her part in giving us a site of great advantage for a city, but man has most wofully [illegible]

The death of Judge Humphreys, one of our District Judges, has aroused another fever of office seeking among the lawyers, and a score or more of applications poured in on the President before the deceased had been buried Of course, our lawyers claim one of their number should be selected, but under the plea that one half of the District is owned by the General Government, which pays taxes on that half precisely as the District pays on its quota, outsiders are filing their applications in manful style from all the States. All we have to say to you on this subject is, that if you send us the Judge let him be as good a lawyer as Judge Humphreys and of so great integrity, but lacking his foibles and short-comings. No one doubted his honesty and singleness of purpose, but he was so often unfitted by his appetite to act as Judge that we can but hope his successor may be a disciple of Father Matthew. Why not appoint Postmaster General Key in his stead? He has proved an admirable executive officer, his legal practice at home has been broken up by his removal here, and particularly so by his stalwart utterances in favor of the Government, and we see no reason why he may not receive the appointment The President will take his time filling the vacancy, and may yet determine Judge Key to be just the man wanted.

The Democrats still swear that Secretary McCrary shall never be confirmed Judge of the vacant Iowa District, so we are not as yet assured Governor Ramsey will receive the War Department portfolio. Well, if they would prefer to have "that bitter partisan" remain Secretary of War, rather than buried in a Judge's chair, no one will object who knows the pluck, vim and brains with which Mr. McCrary is so largely endowed The country can endure the affliction at least so long as the brigadiers and worse copperheads are attempting to subvert and nullify the laws of the land at the Capitol.

A number of our citizens have subscribed $25,000, with which to organize and establish a District Fair this fall on a so called national basis. It is intended to invite exhibits from all parts of the country and to put the scheme one notch higher than any fair ever held here or hereabouts Ten head of cattle, four horses and six colts, a few vegetables, less gimcracks and gewgaws, and an immense combination of thimble riggers, cheap Johns, and patent soap men, etc, constitute the exhibits of the usual Maryland and Virginia fair, but we propose to do something on a grander scale, and will succeed, judging by the calibre of the men at the head of the enterprise. D D.

—Of Harriet Martineau, when she visited Cincinnati, a correspondent of the *Commercial* of that city gives an amusing description. The correspondent was at that time a little girl and had gone to a book-store to execute an errand Entering, she found about a dozen people, some with books and newspapers in their hands, others standing idly leaning against the counter—all gazing intently at two people who seemed to be making jumps at each other and talking very loud. One was a plain looking woman, who held something bright in her hand, which every now and then she would raise to her head. The other was an extremely neatly dressed old gentleman whose name was Pace He was well known about town, and was as deaf as Miss Martineau herself. He also held something bright in his hand. One moment Miss Martineau would take a step forward, the old gentleman would raise his bright instrument and she would put her mouth to it and speak. Then she would fall back and raise her instrument, and he would step forward and speak in turn. She kept moving all the time and he following her, and so earnest were they in what they were saying to each other that they had no idea how ludicrous they appeared to the lookers on. I stood in amazement, having never seen an ear-trumpet before, and could not imagine what they were doing."

—*Truth* says that the British army "consists of boys who have enlisted because they do not know their own minds, and of bounty jumpers."

—The attempt of Vanderbilt to construct an elevated railway in the city of New York, to run from Harlem into the city, has been overwhelmingly defeated by the Board of Aldermen

—It is said that in Watertown, Conn, on a very hot day a woman rubbed blue paint off the leg of Barnum's tattooed Greek with her handkerchief and that he abruptly withdrew from the platform

—Paper is now substituted for wood in Germany in the manufacture of lead pencils. It is steeped in an adhesive liquid, and rolled round the core of lead to the requisite thickness After drying it is colored, and resembles an ordinary cedar pencil The pencils sell in London to retailers at about sixty six cents a gross

—Totten & Co, of Pittsburg, have received their fifth order from Lindand Their specialties in the English market are nail machines, for cutting iron and steel nails, and their patent hollow chill rolls Other parties in England are preparing to order Messrs. Totten & Co, are the only manufacturers of hollow chill rolls in this country.

—The Hon. Hugh McCulloch is reported to have given Secretary Sherman exceedingly high but entirely deserved praise during a recent visit to Washington He declared that the Secretary's funding operations had never before been equalled in magnitude or success. He thinks the business of the country is gradually improving, and that after the next Presidential election we shall enter upon a career of unexampled prosperity. He is evidently confident of Republican success in 1880

—Rev T De Witt Talmage s agent thus replied to the request of a small English town for a lecture "I have upward of 1,000 letters all wanting Dr Talmage to lecture for them. Some contain fabulous offers Now, there is but one way of getting the Doctor If your society can afford to pay what larger places offer, I may be able to drop out a larger place and give you a date in July The lowest terms I care to take are £100 I know it is a big price but Dr Talmage is a great man"

—One of the earliest pieces of paper money ever made in this country was the work of Franklin's press. It was printed in 1761, and represented three pence In size it was three inches by two, and had [illegible] Three pence This bill shall pass current for 3 pence within the Province of Pennsylvania, according to an Act of Assembly made in the 4th year of King George III. Dated the 18th day of June, 1761 Three pence J W Wharton" In the lower left hand corner were the English coat of arms Copies of this curious relic of greenbackism are very rare—if, indeed, this one be not the only copy known It is owned in Philadelphia, and was found in Chester several years ago by some workmen who were examining the interior of an underground vault

—The Republicans of Pennsylvania met in State Convention at Harrisburg yesterday, and nominated Mr. Samuel Butler, of Chester, for State Treasurer Galusha A. Grow, who was made president of the Convention, made a speech on the issues of the day, which was enthusiastically applauded In the Committee on Resolutions, a delegate proposed that the Convention nominate General Grant for the Presidency After much debate, the Committee concluded that it would be unwise to take any action at this time The platform adopted by the Convention declared against any change in the present financial system of the country and reiterated strongly the principles of the Republican party on the issues raised in Congress It also advocated protection to home industry. The Convention was marked by unity and good feeling

SHAMOKIN, July 14th, 1879

EDITOR GAZETTE:—One of the most important points of financial interest in the coal regions is Shamokin, a thriving town, with a population of over 6 000 Mountains of untold wealth surround it The life and activity of the place is owing to the coal and iron interests, both of which are now in greater demand than for a number of years past. The collieries are all in full operation, and the furnaces have all resumed there former number of employees. The miners are encouraged with the general aspect of affairs. The activity of business reminds me of the time when I last visited this locality, ten years ago All other interests here increase with the advanced price of coal, as the finances resulting from its production necessarily flows into the hands of the working forces, and from thence into all branches of mercantile business.

Another noticable fact is, that the moral and religious status of the communities throughout the coal regions is much better than it was years ago—the churches are well attended. Stopping for a day in the vicinity of Locust Dale, of Mollie Maguire notoriety, it was discoverable that the prompt punishment meted out to twenty-two Mollie Maguires, had put a stop to the disgraceful scenes and tragical events formerly enacted in that locality, and everything indicates a thorough and permanent reformation in the morals of the community. The general aspect of affairs in different parts of the State, as far as my observation has extended, indicate a most prosperous future. The change may be gradual, but it will be permanent I have met with but few tramps, and but few men are out of employment True, there are strikes, but these are not so general, as both operators and miners understand each other better, hence they soon compromise matters, and the work goes on

Pottsville is the most important point of interest — it is sometimes appropriately called the Mountain City, as it is the grand center of mining interests, and the county seat of Schuylkill county, it contains a population of 20,000, built upon the slopes of several mountains which surround it, all of which are filled with untold wealth of the precious ore

Rev. Goldsmith Carroll, D. D., many years ago pastor of the M. E. Church, of Bristol, is pastor of the First M. E Church. He and his family have been greatly afflicted by the sad circumstances associated with the death of his son, which has been noticed in the press.

There are other points of interest, which I shall reserve as my article is already too long for the allotted space.

Yours truly, W. C. HENDRICKSON.

OUR BOYS AND GIRLS.

☞Communications intended for this column must be addressed to "Children s Editor" GAZETTE Office Bristol

Answer to enarade of last week—"Heartease"

Just before the holidays, a Boston boy was told by his teacher to write a composition She told him to treat his subject under three heads

1 What is it?
2 What is its use?
3 What is it made of?

He returned the following composition

The Boy.

He is an animal
His use is to carry wood.
He is made of bones

But even Boston boys can be excelled sometimes. A few years ago a young girl at school in Philadelphia, was requested by her teacher to write a composition She pretended that she could not do it Though of a fair average, where her lessons were concerned, she was utterly void of any imaginative power and her teacher knowing this, thought it time for her to acquire the art of expressing herself in writing—and in her own language But the girl *declared* she could not do it, that a composition was altogether beyond her power to manage, she might be able to commit anything, but to *write* anything she *could not*.

Her teacher said, "Well I will give you a subject—write on "gingerbread"

The girl shook her head in stolid despair

I will commence for you, continued the lady, so—

"Gingerbread, how nice they are!
On the closet shelf in the jar"

Now you finish those lines with two others, to morrow

The girl finished with the following.

"Mary thought how nice it would be,
To give a gingerbread to a flea"

Master Johnny s Next-door Neighbor.

BY BRET HARTE

'It was Spring the first time that I saw her for her pa and mamma moved in
Next door just as skating was over, and marbles about to begin,
For the fence in our back was broken, and I saw as I popped through the slat,
There were Johnny Jump ups, all around her, and I knew it was Spring just by that

'I never knew whether she saw me—for she didn t say nothing to me
But 'Ma!' here s a slat in the fence broke and the boy that is next door can see
But the next day I climbed on our wood shed as you know mamma says I've a right,
And she calls out, 'Well, I reckon is manners' and I answered her, 'Sass is perlite!'

'But I wasn t a bit mad, no, Papa, and to prove it, the very next day
When she ran past our fence in the morning I happened to get in her way,
For you know I am 'chunked' and clumsy, as she says are all boys of my size,
And she nearly upset me, she did, Pa, and laughed till tears came in her eyes

'And then we were friends from that moment, for I knew that she told Kitty Sage,
And she wasn t a girl that would flatter that she thought I was tall for my age!
And I gave her lots of ripe plums that evening, and took her to ride on my sled
And—What am I telling you this for? Why Papa, my neighbor is dead!

'You don t hear one half I am saying—I really do think it s too bad!
Why you might have seen crape on her door knob and noticed to day I've been sad,
And they've got her a coffin of rosewood and they say they have dressed her in white,
And I've never once looked through the fence, Pa since she died—at eleven last night

'And ma says it s decent and proper, as I was her neighbor and friend,
That I should go there to the funeral and she thinks that *you* ought to attend,
But I am so clumsy and awkward, I know I shall be in the way
And suppose they should speak to me Papa I wouldn t know just what to say

'So I think I will get up quite early I know I sleep late, but I know
I'll be sure to wake up if our Bridget pulls the string that I tie to my toe
And I'll crawl through the fence and I'll gather the Johnny Jump ups as they grew
Round her feet the first day that I saw her, and Pa a I'll give them to you

'For you're a big man, and you know, Pa, can come and go just where you choose
And you'll take the flowers in to her, and surely they'll never refuse
But, Pa, don't say it cos I'm from Johnny, *They* won t understand, don t you see
But just lay them down on her bosom, and, Papa, *she'll* know they're from Me"

—The Sheriff of St. Louis makes $60,000 per year out of an office with a salary of only $8,000.

☞ Pitchers for 25 cents, sold elsewhere for 50 cents, at the new crockery store corner of Wood and Pegn streets

—A Nevada mule was killed and carefully dissected because he had swallowed ten $20 bills.

☞ Chambers 20 cents, at the new crockery store corner of Wood and Penn streets Sold elsewhere for forty cents

—A wealthy resident of Boston has ordered from Chester county packages of butter, eggs, chickens, etc, as an outfit for a tour over the ocean.

☞ A FOOL ONCE MORE.—"For ten years my wife was confined to her bed with such a complication of ailments that no doctor could tell what was the matter or cure her, and I used up a small fortune in humbug stuff Six months ago I saw a U. S flag with Hop Bitters on it, and I thought I would be a fool once more. I tried it, but my folly proved to be wisdom Two bottles cured her, she is now as well and strong as any man's wife, and it cost me only two dollars Such folly pays.—H. W, Detroit, Mich

—Dr Spencer, a dentist at Platte City, Mo, was shot and killed by a man whose wife he had kissed while she was in his operating chair, partly under the influence of chloroform

☞ Farmers, go to Bristol Machine Works for repairs of all kinds of farming machinery.

—A curious specimen of animal called the boochee, which was brought from Brazil by Frank Stradling, a week or so ago, was taken down to the Zoological Garden, and added to its other curiosities.

☞ The Bristol Machine Works of E L. & H. B. Bates have the agency of all kinds of farming implements.

—A Texas man has patented a gate for railway crossings which is lowered automatically by passing trains, and raised as soon as they have gone by.

☞E. C. Nendt & Co., will never become satisfied until they have introduced their Oleine Soap into every ship that leaves port, so in case they should get wrecked there will be some hopes of their being washed ashore.

—On the return of a couple to Salisbury, Conn., from their wedding tour, a party of girls met them at the train, put them into a carriage, took hold of the shafts and drew them to their new home.

☞Dr. C. P. ROSE *Dear Sir*—A severe attack of Cholera Morbus was effectually cured by using your Carminative Balsam, and I have no hesitation in pronouncing it the best remedy I have ever taken.

A. K. HOFF, Bristol, Pa.

PHILADELPHIA, July 2, 1879

The homes in Philadelphia are generally so pleasant and convenient that many of our ladies prefer remaining here during the summer solstice where they can have a whole household of room for the children to play in instead of migrating to the country, and living in one or two small rooms merely for the sake of going away from home or, ostensibly getting the fresh air.

Those who are here in the heated term pay special attention to the care of their children, and in no city—North, South, East or West—do the little ones receive more earnest consideration than in Philadelphia in the matter of personal comfort and dainty dress arrangements It must, indeed be a poverty stricken household where the cannot afford to buy baby a carriage not put on the clean, pretty afternoon suit, so that the little one can "play out front," and look as attractive if not as richly dressed, as the child of a wealthy neighbor

Comfort is the first consideration and baby must be well cared for and appropriately apparelled, by all means flannel must be worn next to its tender body Gauze or very thin flannel is best, and let the shirt, too, be of the lightest kind of flannel The shirt, skirt and dress, together with a light sacque or cape for warm, clear days, and a wool cloak for cold, damp mornings and evenings, will be all the necessary garments until baby gets to be a year old At night, too, the flannels should be worn, and it may be even lighter than that intended for day wear, but flannel it should be to save baby from the illness so often caused by the bowels and chest not being properly protected.

The novelty in baby clothes consists merely in the arrangement of trimmings, the shapes being the same used since the infants' wardrobe has been constructed upon hygienic principles For best robes or christening dresses sheer linen, cambric or fine organdies and mull muslin may be used, with decorations of Breton or Valenciennes lace and French embroidery

For small boys little plaited dresses made of linen, lawn and piqué, with but little trimmings, are the most stylish, although some mothers imagine the garments must be garmented for boys as well as girls, but it is not at all necessary

And now a word about the costumes for little girls, for they are as beautiful as willing, skillful hands and mother love can make them This afternoon the children on our block are dressed up for a small birthday party, and some of the costumes are worth describing

Hattie had on a pale dress of delicate moonlight-blue silk, the only shade of blue she can wear, for Hattie is a brunette The jacket is simulated with fine point Russe and collar, cuffs, plastrons and plaitings are edged with the same lace No sash is needed with this dress, but small bows of pale blue ribbon are intermixed with the lace over the body and skirt of the pretty garment.

Mamie, too, is a dear little brunette, with a gentle loving smile and kindly greeting for the old folks 'out front,' and she wears a dress of rose leaf pink silk challie with silken side plaitings and rows of dainty lace, which also trims sleeves and neck

Irene s dresses are always beautiful, but to day she has on a silken sim, and over it a dress of pulls and rows of mustling and valenciennes lace, held in place by a wide sash in color to match the suit

May wears a lawn plaited dress, with trimmings of inserting and Hamburg, with a wide sash of blue ribbon

Ruby feels quite as fine in a dress of tiny checked silk in blue and white, garnitured with frills and plaitings edged with valenciennes lace, outlined bisque of the lace and neck and sleeve decoration

A little blonde Georgian wears a suit of plaits, rows of inserting and edging, secured with knots of delicate blue ribbon Hat tied back with the same, in a bow on side of the head

Two little sisters have on pink and blue ships with overdresses of ecrue lace, trimmed with edge to match foundations, while Cuba wears a dress of changeable silk, with trimmings of the fabric, finished at neck and sleeves with lace Upon question of my the children I am surprised to learn that, with one or two exceptions, the garments were bought at Wanamaker s from the children s outfitting department, or were made there to order.

In truth, that room is a special feature of the Grand Depot, and should be visited by all mothers who come to Philadelphia, if for nothing else just for the fun of seeing the children trying on suits One day last week I counted forty five children getting "suited" all at once, and really the scene was most effective L

—Mrs Sutro, wife of Adolph Sutro, the projector of the Nevada tunnel, created a turmoil in a hotel at Virginia City by pounding Mrs Allen, a beautiful widow, with a champagne bottle This was one of a series of facts that have led to a divorce suit by Mrs Sutro.

☞The largest and best assortment of Wall papers, New York and Philadelphia styles, in Bristol, also a choice selection of window shades Window shades made and hung from 75 cents to $1 50 W. GRACE, Cedar Street, between Walnut and Franklin Streets, Bristol, Pa.

—At a meeting of the Prince Napoleon memorial committee in London it was resolved that a marble statue be erected in his honor in Westminster Abbey

☞ONE BOX OF SIX BOTTLES.—If you are suffering from a combination of liver or kidney diseases, and constipation, do not fail to use the celebrated Kidney wort. It is a dry compound as easily prepared as a cup of coffee, and in one package is as much medicine as can be bought in six dollar bottles of other kinds

—A clergyman, at a Methodist camp meeting at Bucyrus, Ohio, prayed that God would kill one member of every anti-Christian family in the county This excited the wrath of the sinners in the congregation and they tore down the tent, whipped the minister, and would have tarred and feathered him if he had not fled

☞SUMMER BUTTER.—A few years ago no farmer expected to make good butter in hot weather, but now by the use of improved methods, in setting milk, use of Wells, Richardson & Co.'s Perfected Butter Color to keep up the standard color, the bad effects hot weather are overcome.

Why suffer such distress from Piles and Constipation? Kidney-Wort will cure you.

—At the mass in London for Prince Napoleon, a dove hovered above the incense and alighted on a gilded eagle above the altar. *Truth* says "The bird, which was tame, and had three days' lessons, was attracted to the eagle by a grain thrown on its back"

☞We have long wanted a safe and reliable remedy for the cure of Chills and Fever. Quinine will cure it, but it disturbs the head and the fever returns Now we see that Messrs Wheelock, Finlay & Co. publish the composition of their Dr F. Wilhoft's Anti Periodic or Fever and Ague Tonic, which is guaranteed a specific for the cure of Chills and Fever, Dumb Chills and all other diseases produced by malaria Try it. It can be found in every Drug store

—Mrs. Edminston of Clinton, Ill, awoke in the night and saw several men handing her daughter out of a window. The mother screamed, whereupon the men dropped their burden and ran away. The girl says that she was being stolen, but she fails to explain why she made no resistance, and it is thought that the affair was an elopement.

PHILADELPHIA.

Important Announcement.

JOHN WANAMAKER.

GRAND DEPOT.

Thirteenth Street, Philadelphia.

THE large increase of our business thus far this year makes it necessary to

ENLARGE OUR PREMISES

We have been cramped and crowded all the season in some of our Departments and our only alternative is to make some important alterations and additions to give us the needed room

The only time to do this is during August and September, the dullest months of the year

To allow the builders to get on rapidly with the work, some of our goods must be removed or sold. To save expense of removing certain stocks, to prevent loss and depreciation from dust during the alterations, we have concluded to offer many of our goods at or about cost

The Whole of our stock will be found to be marked very, very low.

THE GREAT ALTERATION SALE

COMMENCES IMMEDIATELY.

Our prices are always at the very lowest point, and at this time, when goods are advancing in price, we should not press our stock to sale but to get the goods out of the way of the

EXTENSIVE ALTERATIONS

And improvements to be made to the Grand Depot.

It is unnecessary to say that the qualities of our goods are the best We do not mean to lose reputation by selling poor or imperfect goods The well-known rules of Exchange and Return Money observed by the Grand Depot fully protect our customers, and, besides, in building up this great business, we are very careful to keep good faith with our patrons who are depending on us.

We only add that it will be to the interest of the people in city or country to buy during this

GREAT ALTERATION SALE

Silk, Dress Goods, Trimmings, and everything in Ladies' and Gentlemen's Wear, whether in large or small quantities, promptly forwarded by mail or express, and exactly as ordered, but even then, if not as expected, cheerfully exchanged or the money refunded Write a postal card specifying what you desire, and samples, with full instructions for ordering, will be mailed you, postage paid, without any obligation to purchase if prices are not satisfactory For immediate attention, address MAIL DEPARTMENT FOR SAMPLES AND SUPPLIES

JOHN WANAMAKER,

GRAND DEPOT,

Thirteenth Street, Market to Chestnut,

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CHEMICALLY

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PARIS

GREEN,

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A POUND,

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DR. PURSELL'S

DRUG STORE,

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ICE! ICE!!

LEWIS PATTERSON & SON,

Are now prepared to furnish consumers with a fine quality of

Hard, Clear Ice

at the lowest market rates, delivered promptly to order Also, stores supplied with all kinds of

Garden Truck

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H. A. Bradfield,

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DEALER IN

PIANOS,

ORGANS,

VIOLINS,

SHEET MUSIC.

And fancy Stationery, etc, etc A large and full assortment of violin strings, kept constantly on hand Call and compare prices before purchasing elsewhere.

I AM now offering my entire stock with few exceptions, at greatly reduced rates, previous to building a much larger

Green House

In July Also, a great variety of

HANGING BASKETS,

Filled with

CHOICE PLANTS

and vines Fine plants and vines for sale for

Vases and Baskets.

Cabbage and Celery Plants

Peyton DeWitt,

Pond Street, between Penn and Walnut.

MEAT! MEAT!

MILTON WEBSTER,

AT THE

Corner Mill and Cedar Streets,

BRISTOL, PA.,

KEEPS always on hand a large supply of FRESH BEEF, VEAL, MUTTON, &c Also, Smoked Hams Bologna Sausage Smoked Shoulders and Prepared Meats of all kinds Special inducements given cash customers 28

ESTATE NOTICE.

Estate of CORNELIA MAGOFFIN, late of Bristol Borough, Bucks County, deceased All persons indebted to said Estate are requested to make immediate payment, and those having demands against the same, are desired to present them in proper order for settlement without delay ANTHONY SWAIN, Acting Executor

Bristol Borough, July 16, 1879

PENNSYLVANIA RAILROAD.

NEW YORK DIVISION.

Trains to and from Bristol Station

For Philadelphia.

Kensington Depot, 7 08, 7:31, 8 21, 9:21 A M, 12 24, 3:20, 4 26, 5 51, and 7 16, P M West Phila Depot 6 25, 10 43 A M, and 1:41, 3:09, 4 59, and 9:56 P M On Sundays, Kensington Depot 12 24, and 5:24 P M West Phila Depot, at 8:59 and 9:56 P M

For New York.

At 12 54, 7 37, 9:13, and 11:43 A M, 2 39, 6:19, and 7 49 P M Sunday trains 9 13 A M, and 8:10 P M

For Trenton.

at 8:23, 9 13, 11 00, and 11:41 A M 12 43 2 39, 3 51, 4 48, 5 43, 5 59, 6 10, 6.58, 7:49, and 9 05 P M On Sundays, 9:13 9:49, A M and 2 51, 8 10, P M

☞The 8 23 11 00, 11 41, A M, 2 39 4 48 and 5 59 P M trains connect with Belvidere Division

From Trenton.

At 6 40, 7 10, 8.00, 9 00, and 10 14 A M 12:00 M 12.55, 2 50, 3.00, 4.05 5 40, 6 42 6 55, and 9:35 P M On Sundays, 12.00 noon, 5 00, 6 42, and 9:35 P M

From Philadelphia.

Leaves Kensington Depot, at 7 40 and 10.15 A M 12.01 2 10, 4 10, 4.40, 5 10, 6 15, and 8 20 P M West Philadelphia Depot at 8 10 and 11 00 A M, and 2.00, 3.10 and 7:00 P. M and 12.00 night

From New York.

At 7.25, 8.15, and 10.55 A M, 12 55, 3 55, 4 55 and 7.25 P M

From Philadelphia, Westward.

Trains leave West Philadelphia for Harrisburg, Pittsburg and the West, at 8 00, A M, and 12 55 3.15, P M, daily, except Sunday, and 7 20, 9 10 A M 11 55, P M, daily

For Harrisburg, Williamsport, the Oil Regions and Erie, at 12 55 and 11 55 P M

For Harrisburg, Elmira, Canandaigua, Niagara Falls, &c, at 7 20 A M

A Through Passenger Train, especially for parties moving westward, leaves Philadelphia at 12 05 A M daily, except Monday For passage by this train, application should be made to Francis Funk, Agent, 116 Market Street, Philadelphia where first-class and emigrant tickets can be obtained

For further information see time tables, which can be obtained at the ticket office

F THOMSON, Gen Manager, L P FARMER, Gen Pass Agent
F W JACKSON, Gen Supt U R R of N J Division

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SPECIAL NOTICE.

E F. Kunkel's Bitter Wine of Iron.

The great success and delight of the people In fact nothing of the kind has ever been offered to the American people which has so quickly found its way into their good favor and heartily approved as is **E. F. Kunkel's Bitter Wine of Iron.** It does all it proposes, and thus gives universal satisfaction It is guaranteed to cure the worst case of dyspepsia or indigestion, kidney or liver disease, weakness nervousness constipation, nausea of the stomach, &c Get the genuine Sold in $1 00 bottles, or six bottles for $5 00 Ask for **E. F Kunkel's Bitter Wine of Iron,** and take no other If your druggist has it not, send to the proprietor, **E. F. Kunkel,** 259 North Ninth Street Philadelphia, Pa Advice free, enclose three cent stamp

WORMS. WORMS. WORMS.

E F Kunkel s Worm Syrup never fails to destroy Pin, Seat and Stomach Worms Dr Kunkel the only successful physician who removes Tape Worm in two hours, alive with head and no fee until removed Common sense teaches Tape Worms be removed all other worms can be readily destroyed Advice at office and store free The doctor can tell whether or not the patient has worms Thousands are dying daily, with worms, and do not know it Fits spasms cramps, choking and suffocation, sallow complexion, circles around the eyes, swelling and pain in the stomach restless at night, grinding of the teeth, picking at the nose, cough, fever, itching at the seat, headache, foul breath, the patient grows pale and thin, tickling and irritation in the anus,—all these symptoms and more, come from worms **E. F. Kunkel's Worm Syrup** never fails to remove them Price $1 00 per bottle or six bottles for $5 00 (For Tape Worm write and consult the Doctor) For all others, buy of your druggist the Worm Syrup, and if he has it not, send to **Dr. E. F. Kunkel,** 259 North Ninth St, Philadelphia, Pa Advice by mail, free, send three-cent stamp

For sale by H G PETERS, Druggist, Bristol, Pa

$300 A MONTH guaranteed $12 a day at home made by the industrious Capital not required, we will start you Men women, boys, and girls make money faster at work for us than at anything else The work is light and pleasant, and such as anyone can go right at Those who are wise who see this notice will send us their addresses at once and see for themselves Costly Outfit and terms free Now is the time Those already at work are laying up large sums of money Address TRUE & CO Augusta, Maine

ESTATE NOTICE.

Estate of Charles W Peirce, late of the Borough of Bristol, in the County of Bucks, deceased All persons indebted to said estate are requested to make immediate payment, and those having legal demands against the same are desired to present them in proper order for settlement without delay, to

WILLIAM C PEIRCE,
No 136 S Third St., Phila, or
EMILY R P SHOEMAKER,
Radcliffe St, Bristol Borough,
Executors

For Sale.

HOUSES of every size and description Term of payment very liberal JOSHUA PEIRCE.

NEWSPAPER ARCHIVE®

Bucks County Gazette.

Thursday, July 24, 1879.

BRISTOL POST OFFICE,

Arrival and Departure of Mails,

PHILADELPHIA—Arrives 7:00 and 8:30 A. M., and 3:15, 5:00 and 8:00 P. M. Closes 6:25 and 10:15 A. M., 3:15 and 6:30 P. M.

NEW YORK—Arrives 7:00 and 11:15 A. M., 7:30 P. M. Closes 8:00 and 11:00 A. M., 2.00, 4:00 and 6:30 P. M. Way Mails close 7:00 A. M., and 2:00 and 4:00 P. M.

WESTERN—Arrives 10.00 A. M.

BELVIDERE, TULLYTOWN, PENN VALLEY AND MORRISVILLE—Arrives 4:00 P. M. Closes 8.00 A. M.

TRENTON—Arrives 10:00 A. M and 7:30 P. M., Closes 8:00 A. M., and 2:00 and 4:00 P. M.

DOYLESTOWN—Arrives 11:15 A. M. Closes 11:45 A. M.

OXFORD VALLEY, FALLSINGTON AND EMILIE—Arrives 10:00 A. M. Closes 11:20 A. M.

Mails for the West and South go by every Philadelphia mail. W. H. BAKER, P. M.

SHORTS.

—Dr. Groom has built a third story to his residence.

—Dr. Pursell is making an addition to his property on Mill street.

—The Red Men's excursion to Atlantic City, will occur on August 16th.

—Delaware expects to send about 3,700,000 baskets of peaches to market.

—An Empire church announces a walking match as an attraction at a church fair.

—It is asserted that in all Texas there is not a single colored beggar, nor one colored person who is without food, clothing, or shelter.

—Variety is the spice of life, so we hail with gratification the news that a grand apple dumpling party will be held shortly on Maple street.

—Willows are growing on the "bar" in the Mississippi at Vicksburg, and it wil soon be dry land where the river once flowed.

—The Republic's excursion from Bristol, Penn Valley, Florence and other points along the river, next Wednesday, promises to be a large one.

—A peach festival and fair will be held at Bridgewater, August 4th, 5th and 6th, for the benefit of the Home and Foreign Mission fund of the Presbyterian Church.

Of the whole party concerned in the fight, as far as known, the advice of General Grant upon a notable occasion to "let no guilty man escape," was carried out to the very letter.

—The tramps last night were only enjoying a spiritualist camp meeting of a peculiar style, on a small scale. The alcoholic spirit manifested itself too powerfully, materialized itself, so to speak, and became unmanageable.

—At the executor's sale of vessel property belonging to the estate of Chester Sturdevant, deceased, Mr. Van Dusen, of Philadelphia, purchased all the stock offered for sale. Five thirty-seconds interest in the schooner William Tice, brought $50; one-eighth interest of the Lizzie D. Small, $150; one-sixteenth interest in the Ellwood Doron, $190; one-sixteenth interest in the Anthony Burton, $100; and one thirty-second interest in the Sallie M. Evans, $75.

—The favorable seaside resort of our borough is at the Twilight's wharf. It is more patronized on Sunday than any other day. It commands a fine view of the Island, and of the steamboats arriving and departing, and in the distance the ancient city of Burlington is seen. The sand bar is visible daily, but is not as crowded on warm days as some other bars. Lively scenes are often witnessed as the graceful sail-boats skim swiftly over the water.

—At Philadelphia, last Saturday, a new iron steamboat was launched from the works of Messrs. Neafie & Levy, at the foot of Palmer street, Delaware river. The steamer is propeller-built, and has accommodations for about one thousand persons, and is intended to ply between Philadelphia, Bristol Burlington, Beverly and other up-river towns. She will be called the Neptune, and will be lavishly furnished, besides having all the improvements.

—The Presbyterian Sunday school, Dr. Johnson, pastor, of Kensington, made their annual excursion to Chestnut Grove, a few miles below Bristol last Thursday. Robert Wilson, a boy 17 years of age, one of the excursionists, went in to bathe. He ventured out too far, and not being a swimmer, was drowned before any assistance could be rendered. His body was recovered and Dr. Groom held an inquest. A verdict of accidental drowning was rendered.

—The railroad depot presented a very lively appearance this morning, caused by the departure of our Methodist and Baptist friends upon the excursion to Ocean Grove. The hundred and fifty or more excursionists who comprised the company have our condolence in enjoying the cool sea breezes while the majority of us remain at home, sweltering in the sunshine. But then the excursionists did not enjoy the pleasure of seeing the riotious tramps sent off to Doylestown.

—A committee was appointed to investigate certain charges made against Messrs. Scheide and Peirce. The committee reported that it could find no evidence to sustain the charges and was accordingly discharged, after its report was accepted by Council, whereupon the friends of the originator of of the charges speak of the investigation having collapsed. What more could Messrs. Scheide and Peirce desire than that the charges against them should be declared unsustained.

—List of letters remaining in the Bristol Post Office, Wednesday July 23rd, 1879:—Joseph Bolden, Mrs. Ann E. Bond, Miss Mary Boyle, Wm. Carling, John Dougan, James Edgar, Joseph & Wm. Ferguson, Patrick Fallon, Mrs. Annie Hancock, James Holt, Mrs. Bridget Martin, Edwin A. Margerum, John McVane, Mrs. Jane Riley, Miss Catherine Sweeney, W. W. Snyder, Dr. A B. Stonelake, Lizzie Steele, William Wass' Miss Mary E. Wallis, Louis P. Vandegrift' S. H. C.

—People should keep their tempers and not allow the warm weather to irritate them into using profane language. There is a law against profanity. A young lad has been fined this week for a violation of it. Suppose the law were vigorously and impartially enforced. The poor fund of the borough would then reach a sum sufficient to keep the poor of the borough in luxury and ease. The penalty for each oath is sixty-seven cents, half of which goes to the poor fund, Let everybody beware and keep cool.

TRAMPS ON THE RAMPAGE.

A Drunken Riot—One Man Nearly Killed.

The Town House a Prison and an Hospital.

A Guard Placed Over the Prisoners to Prevent Their Rescue.

The large tree in the meadow near the Beaver Dam road is known as the "tramp's resort." At most any time a dozen, or more, tramps may be found congregated there. Last night as constable Saxton was lighting the lamps on Pond street he noticed a commotion under the big tree in the meadow. Thinking it was only a scuffle among the tramps, he paid no particular attention to the matter until somebody called to him that one of the tramps had been killed. He immediately went over to the gang and entered the crowd alone. In a few minutes, however, a number of citizens, attracted by the noise, came up. The constable saw that one of the tramps was badly wounded from a cut in the arm and was bleeding profusely. The man who did the cutting was pointed out to him and Saxton arrested him, and called upon the citizens around to capture the remainder of the rioters. They were immediately seized, and of the whole gang it is believed that only one man and two boys escaped. The man was secured later in the evening near the Hollow Bridge. As the constable and his posse were bringing their prisoners down to the Town House, two of them got loose and started to run. Capt. Levi Johnson and others captured one of them near the engine house, and the other was recovered on Wood street near the Methodist church. The wounded man was taken to the upper room in the Town House, where his injuries were attended to by Dr. Groom, who found that the artery of the man's arm was severed. The artery was taken up, the wound sewed together and bandages applied. The other tramps were placed in the lock-up, two of them were placed in each of the two dungeons, and two remained in the corridor, if it may so be termed. The man captured later in the evening was placed with these two. Including the wounded man, eight men were arrested. Fearing an attempt would be made to rescue the prisoners, a watch was kept around the Town House all night by constables Lounderbough and Saxton, assisted by others. The Burgess and 'Squire Bailey were near at hand to be ready with advice or assistance.

During the night the two boys referred to above were found sleeping on a porch on Bath street and were taken to join their companions. This morning the prisoners were given a hearing before 'Squire Bailey. They gave their names as follows: Alfred Jones, Joseph Andrews, John Kline, Thomas Wallace, John Kelley, Albert Montgomery, John Ryan and Thomas Murray, (the wounded man.)

Charles Saxton, Terrence Brady, Pearson Wright and Thomas DeWitt testified to seeing the prisoners, with the exception of Alfred Jones, either fighting or with the party when the fight occurred, and stated, in substance, the story of the affair as above described. Jones was called up to testify as to his participation in the affray, and denied having seen or taken part in it, although he admitted having been with the party during the day. All the accused, except Jones, were then, in default of bail, committed to Doylestown to await trial at the September Court. They were then placed in a large double-team wagon and given a free ride over the road they have been accustomed to tramping, constables Lounderbough and Saxton and others going along as escorts.

Jones, after receiving a pointed lecture from the Justice, which did not seem to be well appreciated, was discharged, as there was no evidence against him, and was warned to leave town immediately. He said, while going out of the door, that if he had wings he would fly out. The two boys were also discharged and ordered to leave town, if they would escape being locked up.

Two of these tramps were working yesterday, unloading boats at the Rolling Mill. One of them is the man who was wounded. The disturbance was, without doubt, caused by liquor. It is said that the money earned by the two tramps at the rolling mill was invested in alcohol, which was indulged in by the whole party, who had a bucket of water which they diluted the alcohol with.

A more villainous looking set never were sent out of Bristol than these men. It was a study to watch their countenances as they sat before the Justice during their hearing. Their very physiognomy showed what they are. Low foreheads, brutal looking mouths, eyes either entirely expressionless or expressing low cunning, indicative of familiarity with crime, and faces marked by no light of intelligence except beastly intelligence, describes them all. What can be expected, except brutality and crime, from men of this description? The prompt action of constable Saxton, and those who assisted him, and the efficient manner in which they did their duty, deserves the utmost commendation.

ANOTHER MANUFACTORY.

Messrs. Woods & Killinger have arranged with the Bristol Improvement Company to erect a building for them to be used as a keg factory. It will be located on Canal street below Dorrance, the lot running back to the canal. The building will be of stone, 34x52 feet, one story high, with iron roof and will be leased to the firm for a term of five years. This enterprise will be the means of bringing to Bristol five or six new families, as the business will be conducted on a larger scale than the factory which was burned, and will therefore employ more workmen. Work upon the building will be commenced as soon as possible and it is expected that it will be ready for the machinery in three or four weeks.

—Before Squire Bailey, on Tuesday evening, a young lad named McCue, was summoned at the instance of Jared Hellings, who complained that the offender with others, was in the habit of trespassing on his grounds, at the Bath Springs, and using language and making remarks, in hearing of the inmates of the house, of an indecent character. McCue was fined $1.34 for using profane language and this with the costs of prosecution added amounted to $3.00. He refused to pay the fine but after a short stay in the lock-up changed his mind and produced the sum named. Half the fine goes to the poor fund of the borough and the remainder to the informer.

—Cut Shin is the painful title of a Post Office in Kentucky.

AN ANXIOUS INQUIRER TRUTHFULLY ANSWERED.

BRISTOL PA., July 21st, 1879.

EDITOR GAZETTE:—It has been stated that the resolution recently presented in Council censuring a member of that body was never acted upon. I think differently. Can you inform me whether I am correct.

YOURS, CITIZEN.

We presume our correspondent refers to the resolution of censure passed against Mr. Hoguet at the meeting of Council on Monday evening, June 9th, caused by the publication of the following letter:

"*Editor Bristol Weekly Times*—DEAR SIR:—The report of the Council proceeding, published in your columns last week, copied from the BUCKS COUNTY GAZETTE of May 15, 1879, is about as correct and fair a statement as can be expected from a paper that is owned and run by the *clique*, who are now chagrined to find their occupation gone, and their inability any longer to run the Borough and Council in their own interest, as they have heretofore done. The paper which they say was passed around by me was merely a statement of the borough's liabilities and resources, prepared by myself for my own use, and was not handed to any one until I was asked for it. On some future occasion I may have something more to say on the subject.

Yours, truly, L. A. HOGUET."

If our presumption is correct "Citizen" is right in his opinion that the resolution was acted upon. This will be evident by the following taken from the GAZETTE'S report of the proceedings:

Mr. Peirce sent to the clerk's desk the following resolution, which he asked read:

WHEREAS, Mr. L. A. Hoguet has, in disregard of the well-established principle of parliamentary courtesy, arraigned this body, of which he is a member, through the medium of the columns of the *Bristol Weekly Times*, a public journal; and has through said medium preferred a charge of a criminal character against this said body in their official and corporate capacity; therefore, it is hereby

Resolved, That the said L. A. Hoguet is deemed guilty of contempt of Council, that the censure of the body is hereby passed upon him, until he shall make an ample apology in the paper wherein his offensive communication appeared.

After considerable debate, Mr. Hoguet said he had no objection to stating who, in his opinion and the opinion of many others, the clique were. They were Joshua Peirce, Charles W. Peirce, and *Mister* Scheide, and they have been running the Borough and Council in their own interest.

Mr. J. Wesley Wright immediately offered an amendment to Mr. Peirce's resolution that a committee of three be appointed to investigate the charges made against Messrs. Peirce and Scheide. Mr. Scheide seconded the amendment.

More discussion then ensued at the conclusion of which the amendment was adopted. The question was then upon the adoption of the *resolution of censure* together with the amendment, which did not change the character of the original resolution. The resolution as amended is as follows, and was carried without a dissenting voice:

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There is therefore no doubt but that the resolution referred to by "Citizen" was acted upon by Council and there can be no mistake as to the meaning of the action taken.

—At the meeting of the American Medical Association, held at Atlanta, Ga., May 8th, the following resolution was unanimously adopted:

Whereas, The Superintendent of the Census requests that the physicians of the United States will aid him in making the mortality and morbility statistics of the census of 1880 as complete as possible;

And Whereas, It is of the highest importance to medical science and to public hygiene that this request shall be fully and universally complied with;

Therefore, be it Resolved, That the American Medical Association earnestly recommends to each and every physician in the United States that he shall furnish such information as is requested by the Superintendent of the Census, and that he shall keep such a record of his cases for the year beginning June 1, 1879, as will enable him to make this information accurate and reliable.

In pursuance of this resolution General Francis A. Walker, Superintendent of the Census, at Washington, D. C., will furnish every physician in the United States with a blank return book. These books are accompanied with directions, and their contents are to be regarded as confidential. Physicians should at once send for them. The application will cost only the postage, which will be refunded by the Department of the Interior.

Dr. William H. Kirk, of Doylestown, has received a list of physicians in Bucks county, as it stands upon the books of the Department. As it is, of course, incorrect, now, he will consider it a favor to be furnished the names of physicians now practicing in the several boroughs and townships of the county. The following are the practicing physicians of Bristol: E. J. Groom, John Ward, W. T. Potts, H. Pursell, G. W. Kirk, H. A. Scheetz and H. K. Brouse.

—The store on Mill street so long occupied by James V. Foster, has been rented to Mrs. M. L. Worrell, of Philadelphia, who proposes to open a dry goods store there. The property will be improved by a new bulk window, which is to be put in immediately.

☞ HONORED AND BLESSED.—When a board of eminent physicians and chemists announced the discovery that by combining some well known valuable remedies, the most wonderful medicine was produced, which would cure such a wide range of diseases that most all other remedies could be dispensed with, many were sceptical; but proof of its merits by actual trial has dispelled all doubt, and to-day the discoverers of that *great medicine*, Hop Bitters, are honored and blessed by all as benefactors.

☞ Dr. C. P. ROSE:—To all who may be suffering from Diarrhœa, Dysentery, &c., I sincerely recommend the use of your Carminative Balsam. For curative powers, it is without an equal. JAMES KELLEY,
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—Doylestown had a terrible scare, last Sunday morning. The jail was discovered to be on fire and the improvised fire department of our county town with its antiquated hand engine and rotten hose, turned out and worked heroically to extinguish the flames. The *Democrat's* description of the event is as follows:

"The fire caught in the straw of the stables, next the eastern wing of the jail, and in a very few minutes the whole building was ablaze and could not be saved. There was no time lost connecting the engine to the fire plug at corner of Court and Broad streets, and the machine was manned, but the hose a rotten one, burst as soon as filled with water. A stronger hose was now attached, and with a good deal of labor it was carried to the roof of the jail, where a few level-headed men had ascended to use it. The effort was mainly directed to saving the sheriff's residence, in which they were successful, but the roof was a good deal damaged. The stable, with its contents, including seventy-five bushels of oats, was burned to the walls, and the roof of the eastern wing of cells was completely destroyed down to the masonry of the arches. The fire was under control by 8.30, and all danger over. In the meantime the furniture, etc., were removed from the sheriff's residence, and carried into the court house yard, and into the yards of the dwellings along Court street, but was not very much damaged. From subsequent information obtained from a prisoner, your reporter learns that the fire was the work of an incendiary within the jail. The prisoners had conspired to fire the jail, and, under cover of the fire attempted to escape. The fire was to have been applied Saturday night, but fearing they might be victims themselves, the conspirators postponed it until Sunday morning. A blind passage-way, four feet wide, runs between the wall of the east wing of the jail and stable, and part of the distance they were separated by weather-boards. These boards had rotted off at the bottom and a little straw from the stable had been pushed out into the passage, which the cell windows overlook. One of the prisoners threw a box of burning matches from a cell window down into the straw. This was about the time the groom went into the stable to look after the horses, and the fire was almost immediately discovered. An unsuccessful attempt was made to put it out, but the straw in the passage, and which could not be reached, kept feeding the flames until it got beyond control, when the alarm was given. One of the prisoners divulged the plot, and the rope made from their bed clothes, and with which the wall was to have been scaled, was found. Our imperfect apparatus did good service. To insure a full supply of water the sluice-gate was opened and the water from the borough mill-dam allowed to flow into the receiving reservior. The pump was set going and the basin was kept full. Our citizens deserve a great deal of credit for their activity and energy, and several ladies were very active. A perfectly calm morning was one of the most fortunate incidents of the fire. Had it been windy the entire jail would have been destroyed, and the court house damaged."

A GIRL BATTERY.—A story comes from Canada of a girl so abnormally charged with electricity as to be a nuisance to herself and unpleasant to others who come in contact with her, or even near her. Her name is Caroline Clare, and she lives with her parents, who are respectable people at Rodney, near London, Ontario. About two years ago, when Caroline was 17 years old, she was seized with a peculiar illness, which the doctors could not reach with their art. She declined in weight from 130 pounds to 87, and her organism was apparently as healthy as ever. For a time she continued about the house, but finally became so weak that she was obliged to keep her room. All this time she had a good appetite, and no organic disease was discoverable. Then there came a change. She sank into trances and came out of them with spasms, and at these times she described the scenes of her vision in beautiful language and a fluency of tongue which was unnatural to her. She passed out of this condition into another and still more marvelous change. She rose from her bed, strong and seemingly well as ever, and went about her household duties bright and happy, but soon developed into a powerful electric battery. All metallic things clung to her hands, and were with difficulty removed, and she shocked everybody who touched her. Children and domestic animals went to sleep in her presence and grown people in the same room with her had very unpleasant sensations of her high electrical condition. A circle of eighteen or twenty joining hands with her had sensations precisely like those given by a galvanic battery. She is still in this shocking condition, and the doctors in the vicinity are going to make a special report of her case to the meeting of the Provincial Medical Association to be held this summer.—*Missouri Republican.*

What an effect climate has on natural development! In California they make alcohol out of beets. Here we make beats out of alcohol.—*Norristown Herald.*

A Georgia farmer kills snakes, lays them in a furrow and plants corn in the furrow.—New York *Herald.* Great Scott! When the corn comes to be distilled and consumed!—But we don't like to think of it.—*Buffalo Express.*

The statement is given that more candy is made and eaten in the United States than in all the rest of the world combined. Boston manufacturers consume about 4,000 tons annually, New York about 7,000 tons, and Chicago does a large business in the same field. The exports from the United States to Europe include "the best French candies."

—A woman wanted to remove a tree from her lot in a cemetery at Springfield, Mass., to make room for a monument, but the authorities refused permission. She went home and prayed that the Lord would take the tree away, and within a few hours a tornado blew it over. The same wind did great damage throughout Massachusetts, and killed many persons, yet the woman firmly believes it was sent in answer to her prayer.

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IN MEMORIAM.

"The memory of the just is blessed."

Seldom has this saying been more fully illustrated than in the case of Mrs. Magoffin, who departed this life on Sunday morning, the 22d day of June. She had lived for many years in our borough,—coming here with her husband, the Rev. John Magoffin, whom all who recollect, will recall with reverence, because of the devotion of his life to every good work, in which his wife united with him in fullest sympathy. After his death she continued with the utmost zeal in the path they had so long journeyed together.

No language of eulogy can speak her praise better than the memory of her goodness.

Her sound mind, pure taste, unaffected courtesy, marked unselfishness; her genuine and earnest piety; the evenness and trueness of her character; its depth and clearness; its smooth and steady flow; her ever ready sympathies and unfailing kindness; her constant desire to help others; these, among other saintly graces, like the fragrant flower, shed their perfume upon all who came within her influence. Fitted by nature and education to be attractive in society, she chose rather to seek first those things that are above. She gloried in being a Christian, and all her aims and habits tended toward the cultivation of a true religious life, the memory of which lives as a testimony to the power of that truth she so nobly exemplified. Nor was her life without its reward even here. She had the blessing of the poor she had helped; the joy through a long life of seeing the results of her beneficence, the comforts of an endeared Christian friendship. Above all, a kind providence was manifest in the ordering of her affairs, that seemed like a loving father bestowing on a good child all it desired. She had a choice of life work she might do, and rather than confining herself to a special work, she chose this quiet and unobtrusive ministries, which, though silent, brought comfort and refreshing to many who bless her memory. Even the manner of her death was such as she would have desired. She retired for the night in comparative health, prepared for the Sabbath on the morrow and the sanctuary she so much revered; and just as the Sabbath dawned, she was taken away peacefully as a child to its mother's arms to join the redeemed in praise and adoration. She will be missed by the poor, missed in the church, missed in the circle of her friends; but the lessons of her life and death remain, and the mention of her name will always awaken precious memories.

Rest gentle Spirit rest, thy conflict o'er, thy labor done,
Angels thy friends, thy home, the presence of the Holy One.

DIED.

JOHNSON.—On the 21st, inst., Mrs. ELIZABETH O. STEVENSON, widow of JACOB JOHNSON, Jr., aged 52 years.

MISCELLANEOUS.

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Calico 3 Muslin 4 Bracelets 4 cts. up; Ladies' hose 5 cts. up, Handkerchiefs 3 cts. up, Ginghams 4 cts. up, Colored Hamburg 5 cts. up, Childs' Shawls 10, 15. 20 cts. up, Diamond Ear Rings 7 cts. up, Lace Collars 5 cts., Piques 5, 8, 10 cts. up, Towels 8 cts., Plaid Muslins 10 cts. up, Childs' Gloves 3 cts., Teas 25, 50 cts., Coffee 14, 16, 20 cts., Raisins 9 cts., Lard 8 cts., Cakes 10 cts., Fly Traps 20 cts., Soda 4 cts., Biscuits 6 cts. lb., Mackerel 5 cts., Coal-Oil 4 cts qt., Head Light 5, Turpentine, Japan, Linseed, Lard-Oil. Neats-Foot, Paints, 4 cts.; Paris Green 31 cts. lb., Soap 2, 3, 4 cts., Corn Starch 6 cts, Dried Apples 3 cts.

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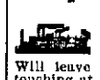

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Monday, 21, 12½ P. M.	Monday, 21, 4½ P.M.
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TWILIGHT

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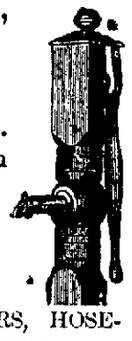

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Will give an excursion to
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ON
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A special train will leave Cornwell's at 5.45 A. M., Eddington, 5.50; Schenck's, 5.55; Bristol, 6.00; Tullytown, 6 20; Wheatsheaf, 6.15; Morrisville, 6.20. The steamer will stop at CONEY ISLAND going and returning, giving eight hours at CONEY ISLAND and seven at ROCKAWAY. Leave ROCKAWAY at 6 P. M., and arrive at Bristol at 11.30 P. M. Excursionists will have an opportunity of seeing, among other attractions, the famous East River Bridge, connecting New York and Brooklyn.

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Estate Notice.

ESTATE of Margaret S. Billbrough, late of Bensalem Township, Bucks County, deceased. All persons indebted to said Estate, are requested to make immediate payment, and those having legal claims against the same are desired to present them in proper order for settlement, without delay to
SARAH PAGE POTTS,
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The fountains mingle with the river,
And the rivers with the ocean,
The winds of heaven mix forever
With a sweet emotion;
Nothing in the world is single,
All things by a law divine
In one another's being mingle—
Why not I with thine?

See the mountains kiss high heaven,
And the waves clasp one another,
No sister flower would be forgiven
If it disdained its brother
And the sunlight clasps the earth,
And the moonbeams kiss the sea,
What are all these kissings worth
If thou kiss not me?

Shelley.

WASHINGTON'S ACCOUNT BOOK,

Among some relics in the State Department at Washington, is an account book of Washington's, which is quite curious reading, and will give some people a different idea of the character of our first President than is generally entertained by the general public. The following is a description of the document.

The account book is, of course, like all the other account books of Washington with which the country is familiar. It is a good sized, brass clasped book, made in London. There is not a blot in its pages, and most of it is in his own handwriting. It contains accounts with his overseers, the Custis estate, his wife's children, and incidentally throws a strong side-light in the kind of life Washington led when he threw off the cares and dignities of public station. He certainly followed the fashions prevailing in the "Old Dominion." He was a large-bodied, strong, healthy specimen of the Squire type of manhood. He liked good horses and good dogs. He loved to ride after foxes and he loved a good horse race. He was attentive to business, careful in details, scrupulous in the management of money, but when he had done all that prudence and honesty required he gambled at "cards and other play," just as did every good Virginian in those days.

One of the longest accounts in the book is with "Cards and Other Play." On one page cards, &c., are debited with his losses, and on the other side credited with his winnings. He pursued these games of chance pretty regularly for the three years through which the account runs, but his play was marked by very much the same carefulness and economy that characterized his household expenditures. He never lost nor won large sums and he kept his winnings and losings pretty evenly balanced. In the three years covered by the account he won £72 2s. and 6d. and lost £70 5s. and 9d., leaving a balance against "Cards and Other Play" of £6 3s. and 3d.

Much of this gambling was done at Williamsburg, while he was attending the stormy sessions of the House of Burgesses when he was indulging in its fierce contentions with the Earl of Dunmore. Sometimes he had a game with some old friend when he went over to Fredericksburg to visit his mother, and there is a long line of credit to cards for winnings at Mount Vernon. His fellow-legislators seem to have been better gamesters than Washington for he generally lost at Williamsburg, where on two occasions he lost his largest amounts, each time the modest amount of £6 10s. His heaviest winnings were made at the Annapolis races in October, 1772. The balance in his favor after two day's play was £13 7s. He was a constant contributor, too, to the neighboring clubs, of which there were a great many, a rubber of whist seeming to have established its place even then among the Virginia gentry, a place which it holds to this day, as every one familiar with Virginia country-life knows.

Washington, evidently from this account book, used to go up to the annual Annapolis races in a grand way, and while there used to spend his money like a gentleman. He bet on the horses and bet on cards. He went to the theatre and took his friends with him, and he apparently enjoyed himself to the full while Mrs. Washington stayed at home and dutifully looked after her domestic concerns. The following is a transcript of his account of expenses at the races in October, 1772:

	L	S	D
Travelling expenses	2	10	11
Servants in trips	0	17	0
Sundry tickets to the plays there	1	0	0
Sunday tickets to ball there	0	12	0
Two boxes of clarets, £25 in Maryland currency	20	14	6
Horses, £50 in Maryland currency	40	0	0
Charity	2	2	0
Cash lost on the races	1	6	0
Cash paid for a hatt (sic) for Miss Custis	4	4	0
Cash to Mrs Custis at Annapolis	2	14	0

This was an extraordinarily large amount of money for Washington to spend, even after the £13 won at cards were deducted. The next year the races took place two weeks earlier, and Washington was promptly on hand with his retinue of servants and with money to spend, though with not so large an amount as he scattered about the year before. His account this year stood

	L	S	D
For traveling expenses	4	16	10
Sundry play tickets	5	16	0
Tickets to the ball		6	
Cards and racing	3	16	
Servants	1	15	3

He was probably restrained by the presence young Mr. Curtis, who made his first appearance at the races, and whose expenses amounted to £3, not itemized. The only other mention of gaming in any way is a charge to "profit and loss" for the chances in a raffle for an Encyclopedia.

The character of the rest of the entries in the book is that of all other account books which have been given to the public. The details of his business, his fish-selling and his corn and wool trade, are familiar to all who know anything of Washington's life. There is an occasional sale of a box of claret, presumably to accommodate a neighbor, and charges for duty on pipes of wine imported from his London agents. There are records of business transactions with Governor Clinton, of New York, Charles Carroll, of Carrollton, and other famous men, but it is impossible to glean from the meagre, business-like entries of the account book the nature of the commerce between them. One account, however, is full of suggestions. It is with Major General Charles Lee, and is as follows:

1775	L	S
June 7—Cash lent him at Mount Vernon	15	0
Cash lent him on the road from Philadelphia to Cambridge at different times, viz, 6 guineas and £4	9	12
Total	24	12

The slothful, careless soldier of fortune had evidently set out from Berkeley to join Washington and travel with his chief to the American army around Boston without money enough to pay expenses. It was like him to do so, and it was like Washington to lend him all the money he wanted and to never ask him for it. It was like Lee, too, to quarrel with his friend, to seek to despise him, and to never repay the debt, as he never did. After his death, in December, 1786, there is a credit in the opposite page to Lee's executor of the precise amount due, no interest having been charged.

In Washington's account with his mother there are no entries on the credit side. He sent cash to her by various hands, and regularly charged her with it, writing at the bottom of the account, which was not footed, the word "settled." This, however, does not indicate that Mrs. Washington made no return for the money advanced by her son, or that the money was cut from her own estate. This book, notwithstanding its neatness and apparent accuracy, shows that Washington was not what business men of to-day would call a careful book-keeper. There are other accounts than this with his mother, simply marked "settled," and left unbalanced.

A DRUNKEN DOG.—A sad dog in San Francisco is called "Whiskey Straight." At two months old he developed a taste for beer, and now he is devoted to all sorts of liquor, from absinthe down to porter, and waxes fat thereon. After a spree he appears morose and sullen till he has had a drink or two of whiskey, when he frisks around in the liveliest manner. Additional potations, however, change his mood; he becomes cross and quarrelsome and finally sails into a condition of drunken stupidity.

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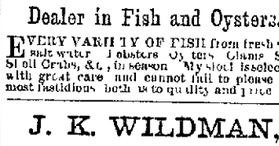

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